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To: OneM2M Technical Plenary

Subject: Nomination of candidate for the position of OneM2M Working Group 2 (ARC) Chairman

Sierra Wireless is pleased to propose Nicolas DAMOUR as candidate for the position of chairman of the Working Group 2 of the OneM2M Technical Plenary dedicated to Architecture.

Nicolas has been actively involved in oneM2M since its creation in 2012, serving as a vice-chairman during two years and putting his managerial and technical skills to the benefit of oneM2M. Nicolas has previous experience in M2M standardization in the ETSI M2M (now SmartM2M), and works in other standardization bodies such as 3GPP or the GSM Association. He is also active in vertical industry bodies, such as the European Smart Metering Industry Group, advocating to these users of M2M technologies to use M2M standards. His experience in real-life projects around the globe in IT, telecommunications and more specifically in M2M for Sierra Wireless gives him a sound cross-cultural sensibility and a deep understanding of critical architectural issues for end-to-end M2M solutions.

We believe that it is important for OneM2M to benefit not only from the experience of telecom providers and network equipment manufacturers, but also from the experience of an end-to-end M2M solutions enabler such as Sierra Wireless with millions of modules deployed worldwide, and hundreds of thousands thereof managed by our M2M cloud platform, covering a variety of M2M applications for customers such as Ford, BMW, EDMI, Ingenico, Schneider Electric or Nespresso.

Sierra Wireless firmly believes in the need for global M2M standards for the market to realize its full potential, and is fully committed to support Nicolas in his task as Working Group Chairman if he is elected.

Sincerely,

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